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The Candidates At A Glance



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Cisco Meneses

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2nd Vice President

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Beth O'Connell

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Treasurer

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Matthew Donoughue

Senator At Large

Peg Borges

Denis Lawrence

Glenn Orrell

Ralph Plotke

Senators, 1985

Greg Gelineau

Kimberly Murphy

Christine Quinn

Senators, 1986

Bill Chaney

Senators, 1987

Christopher Cline

Daniel Darcy

Ed Nicoletti

Karen Treadup*

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THE COMMENT

ELECTION 1984

SPECIAL

CANDIDATES'

EDITION

Voter Registration

The opportunity to register to vote is now! Even though the time to vote is November, you can determine your tomorrow by voting today! The dates to remember are:

Aug.21, 1984—Registration Closes for State Primary
Sept.18, 1984—State Primary
Oct.9, 1984—Registration Closes for Presidential Election
Nov.6, 1984—Presidential Election

Registration is open during normal business hours throughout the year in you city or town clerks office.

How to Register:

WHO CAN VOTE?

Any citizen of the U.S. who is a Massachusetts resident and will be 18 years old by election day, may register and vote.

HOW OFTEN DO I HAVE TO REGISTER?

Once. Registration is permanent in Massachusetts. You need register again only if you move to another city or town, or

HOW DO I REGISTER?

Go to your city or town hall. In order to register you must answer the following questions:

Name
 Present Residence
 Date of Birth
 Occupation
 U.S. citizen (by birth or by naturalization)
 Preferred Party (Dem., Rep., Ind.)

WHAT IS THE NEXT STEP?

After registering, the next step is to VOTE!! Voting is just as easy, if not easier, and there are always people at the polls who would love to help you.

Absentee Voting:

WHO CAN VOTE ABSENTEE?

If you are a student who is registered in your home city or town, the absentee ballot is for you! If you are physically disabled and cannot get to a polling place, absentee ballots are for you!

HOW DO I VOTE ABSENTEE?

How do I apply, you ask? It is simple! You must apply for an absentee ballot from your city or town clerk no later than noon of the day before the election. You can do this in person, or send it through the mail by postcard or letter. Applicants must sign their own requests personally. The ballot will be mailed to you.

STUDENTS

Students' ballot envelopes may either be notarized or signed by the registrar or assistant registrar of their college. Absentee ballots must be received by the time that the polls close on election day.

Any student wishing to vote absentee should contact a member of the BSC Voter Registration Coalition. Leave your name and how you can be reached in our mail box in the SGA office or with *The Comment*. The people to contact are: Peg Borges (Chairperson) April Kane, Mike Barcellos, Patrice Maloney. We meet every Tuesday at 5:00 (place of meeting will be posted). Members of BSC Voter Reg. are always more than happy to answer questions and help out a potential voter in need.

Awareness

They Are Coming...

Brockton Registrars will be in front of the Bookstore between 10:00 a.m. and 2:00 p.m. on Monday, April 23rd to Register any students from Brockton who are 18 yrs. of age or older and who have not previously registered.

Now You Don't Have To Go To City Hall...City Hall Will Come To You!!

Don't Be Apathetic...



REGISTER AND VOTE !!

SGA ELECTIONS

Presidential Forum

'84

Dear Editor;

The time has come for students to start being heard! My name is Bill Brassil and I am once again a candidate for President of the Student Government Association. For two years I served as Vice-President of the SGA, as well as the Student Union Board of Governors and Program Committee. It has been a frustrating year for me as I watched the SGA fight among each other rather than devoting their full attention to serving us—the people they represent. It is doubly sad because our representatives are, for the most part, hardworking, dedicated, and sincere. What has been lacking at the S.G.A. is leadership and vision.

As President of the SGA I will work with the Senate to develop a program which will encourage the pursuit of excellence in which the Senate will fight aggressively for **your rights and seek out ways to serve you!**

The president of the SGA must be the one to set the example. It is time that all students get the services they pay for. As President I will:

- 1) Appoint a special advisor for commuter affairs—to seek out commuter's needs and inform commuters of the services already available to them.
- 2) Work to expand the Early Childhood Education Center so that more child care is available to the growing number of older non-traditional students on this campus.
- 3) Continue the fight against unfair tuition increases that make it harder for you and your family to pay for an education.
- 4) Bring cohesive leadership to the students on the All College committees.
- 5) Support those clubs that bring honor to the entire student body by their pursuit of excellence and help other clubs reach for better programs that enhance our college experience.
- 6) Be available to all students, aggressively seek out your needs, that is what the SGA exists for.

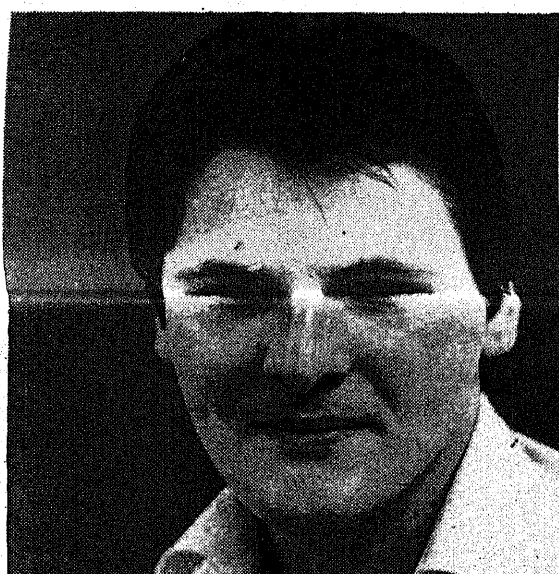
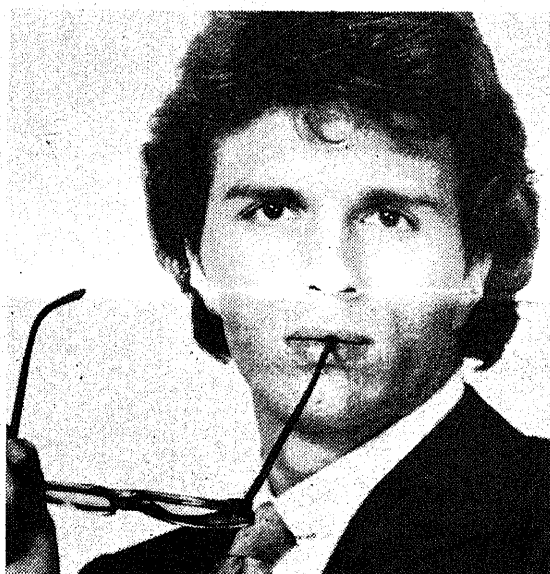
I believe that together we can make a difference. We can enhance our class work through programs that the SGA makes possible. We can make our time here easier, college is tough enough without having to worry about how you will pay your tuition and for your books. By working together we can make our years here at Bridgewater better.

I hope you will take the

Last week, **The Comment** asked candidates running in the upcoming SGA elections to submit a letter which would briefly introduce him or her, and present his or her campaign platform. The letters, published in this special Election Edition, will hopefully aid you, the student, in making an informed decision when you cast your vote on April 26 & 27 and May 3 & 4.

All letters received by **The Comment** were published; no candidates were intentionally left out. Those who did not submit letters did so at their own discretion.

Remember to vote and be counted!!



Dear Student;

I would like to thank each and everyone of you who has supported me in past elections I have run in. To those who have not heard of me and of my accomplishments through three years of service, please read on and hopefully you will be able to make an intelligent decision.

Qualifications: Treasurer of S.G.A., Assistant Treasurer of S.G.A., S.G.A. Senator for two years, Member of the Athletic Fee Committee, Chairperson of Ways & Means Committee, Member of the Tennis Court Project Committee.

Reasons for Campaigning: I have worked for three years going from Senator to S.G.A. Treasurer, making me the most qualified candidate, running for this position on experience alone. I have served under both good and bad administrations and I intend to use all that I have learned. I believe that my three years of learning will keep any past mistakes from being repeated. I want to make the SGA work for you!

Accomplishments: Tennis Court Project funding (\$18,000 SGA Allocation; \$5,000 from Athletic Fee; undetermined amount from Student Union), Student Orientated Activities (Dances, Shuttle Bus, Rollerskating Party, Rape-prevention Program, Club Membership Drive, Fundraising Seminars), Increased Club Activities (Free trips, lectures, and films).

Future Goals: Student awareness of what the SGA has to offer (Lawyer, Campus Security, Typewriter service, book exchange). A productive S.G.A. that you **hear** about not **talk** about. Expansion of the S.G.A. offices so as to create a more productive working environment to better suit the needs of the BSC student population. I also intend to create, thru joint co-operation with the school, an all-age activity center geared to the majority of students under 20 years of age (open three nights a week, entertainment to include live bands, D.J.'s, Comedy Connection, etc.).

Please contact me at the S.G.A. office or at Room 311, Scott Hall if you need any additional information. If you have issues that you would like to see addressed next year, please contact me. It is your concerns that the SGA wishes to address. Keep experience working for you.

Make the right decision and

Vote **Cisco Meneses**

Important SGA Voting Times

★★★

Presidential Primaries Only
April 26 & 27

In front of the Bookstore
Student Union Building

The Candidates:

- ☐ Bill Brassil
- ☐ Daniel Magoon
- ☐ Cisco Meneses

time to consider all the candidates and to vote for the one who will best serve you. On election day VOTE for Bill

Brassil—President of the SGA.

Thank you

Candidate Daniel Magoon did not submit a letter.

MEET THE CANDIDATES

Student Trustee

Dear Students;

Hi! My name is Carrie Kulick. I would like you to support my candidacy for Student Trustee. The Trustee you elect must possess three very important characteristics. They must first have an in-depth knowledge of the students' needs and concerns, secondly be an effective voice in communicating these concerns, and lastly, must have a proven record.

My record for the past three years demonstrates my genuine concern for student issues, as well as my capability to function effectively. I have served in the past on the All-College Committee and am presently serving as the first student elected All-College Chairperson in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

As your Second Vice-President of the SGA I have initiated several Senate projects, and either coordinated or was instrumental in organizing as well as implementing many campus wide events including; Homecoming, Heritage Week, Voter Registration, Anti-tuition drive, as well as equal representation on the All-College Committee only to name a few.

I am also currently a member of the Program Committee and have served in the SGA since my freshman year. I was formerly a

class officer and have chaired various ad hoc and sub-committees of the Senate.

I feel I can provide the dynamic representation that the students deserve, and serve as a direct link between the students and the hierarchy of our educational system.

In short, I have the experience and the knowledge in dealing with students, faculty, and administration that is needed to further the interests of students. I have been a strong voice in the past and I ask that you let me continue to be the voice in the future. **Vote Carrie Kulick Student Trustee; Experience with a Voice.**



Student Trustee

My name is Matt Donoghue, and I am requesting that you make me your choice to represent your interests on the Board of Trustees of Bridgewater State College by casting your vote for me on May 3rd or 4th.

I have actively contributed



funding for the contract has been held up by Governor Dukakis until the question of student's rights has been redressed.

This week I was named state college sub-committee chairman of the State Student's Association of Massachusetts, and have been involved in the statewide fight against tuition increases.

In short, my commitment to your interests is clear. I have worked consistently to look out for your welfare in college governance, both on the Curriculum Committee, and as secretary to the All-College Committee this year.

As Student Trustee, I am interested in working to encourage college fiscal support of co-curricular activities, so that student's opportunities may grow through participation in these activities. I would also exert my influence as a trustee of the college to pass legislation protecting student representation, both in college governance and on the Board of Regents. I would also work to speed up plans to construct an addition to the gymnasium and new dormitories to accommodate the needs of the growing student population of Bridgewater State College.

I am proud of Bridgewater, and applaud the college's philosophy, "Not to be ministered unto, but to minister." I would appreciate your support. Together, we can continue the college's commitment to community participation and educational excellence.

Yours sincerely,
Matthew Peter Donoghue
Candidate for Student Trustee

to the B.S.C. community, serving on both the Curriculum and All-College Committee. I have also participated in several campus organizations, among them the Tennis Court and Campus Beautification Committees, radio station WBIM, the Heritage Day Committee, *The Comment*, and as the publicity vice-president of Ensemble Theatre.

Recently, I have served as a special assistant to the S.G.A. president, working diligently on the statewide protest of the new faculty contract which proposes to reduce student representation on the All-College committee, which is the policy-making advisory body to the president at BSC and other state colleges. Through extensive lobbying efforts,

Executive Secretary

To the members of the BSC Community:

This letter is in regards to the fact that I am seeking the office of Executive Secretary of the Student Government Association.

My name is Debbie Santheson, and although I have never actually sat at The Shoe, I believe my knowledge of student government affairs will help me in this position. I have attended virtually every meeting over the past year and have learned the basics of parliamentary procedure by observing from the gallery. I also have the support of the current Secretary, Xena Wallin. She has helped me to learn the "tricks of the trade" so to speak, and I'm sure her advice will be helpful.

Currently I am the Features Editor of *The Comment* however I hope that my functions in the S.G.A. will not interfere with my function at the paper.

I am a member of the Class of 1985 majoring in Computer Science. Currently, I am the sole candidate seeking

this position.

At this time I would like to take the opportunity to thank you for your consideration and ask that you take the time to vote for me on May 3 and 4. In order for me to work for

you, I must have your support.

Thank you again,
Debbie Santheson
Candidate for Executive Secretary, S.G.A.



Final Elections All Offices May 3 & 4

President
1st Vice President
2nd Vice President
Secretary
Treasurer
Asst. Treasurer
Senators At Large
Class Senators
Student Trustee

MEET THE CANDIDATES

Treasurer/Assistant Treasurer

Dear Fellow Students,

Hi, I'm Nadine Lucas. I am running for the position of SGA Treasurer. Although I am running unopposed I'd appreciate your continued support. So far you're given me an ample amount of patience with all my elections and it's greatly appreciated.

I'd like to take this time to reflect upon my accomplishments thus far. As senator I was Chairperson of the Rights and Freedoms Committee, of which I am still actively involved. We are working very hard on a number of projects which are aimed at the rights of dorm students and tenants of off-campus housing. I also was an active member of the Ways and Means Committee, which helped to give me the needed experience to become Assistant-Treasurer. Now as Asst. Treas. I am Co-Chairperson of Ways and Means and I belong to the Athletic Fee Committee.

I have many goals I'd like to share with you at this time. As Treasurer I hope to increase the efficiency of the Treasury

through increased communication with clubs. I would also like to see more students involved in the clubs and see clubs host more on-campus activities that would greatly benefit students.

In closing I'd like to remind you that experience is essential in the position I'm seeking.

I've had a very productive year with SGA and I hope the time I've put in reflects my dedication and hard work. Please vote for me in the final election and remember — your vote does count.

Thank-you,
Nadine Lucas
Candidate for SGA Treasurer



I'd like to take this opportunity to introduce myself; my name is John Beaton and I'm running for the position of Assistant Treasurer in the Student Government Association, '84-'85.

Although I'm running unopposed for this position, I feel that I am nonetheless

qualified to represent the students effectively and efficiently. Currently I have been working hard serving the class of '87 as a senator.

Since being sworn in as senator I have been a member of the Rights and Freedoms Committee working on the student eviction policy. Most recently I have been working on the Ways and Means Committee which deals with the budgets of the various clubs on campus.

Being involved in Student Government here at Bridgewater State College hasn't been a bed of roses, no one admits it has been, but I always like to think that the good and productive times out weigh the negative and nonproductive ones.

With the help of your support on Thursday May 4th and Friday May 5th I will be able to continue to serve Bridgewater students, this time as a whole, rather than as an individual class. Please get involved and vote. Thank-you.

Sincerely,
John Beaton

Today SGA, tomorrow...

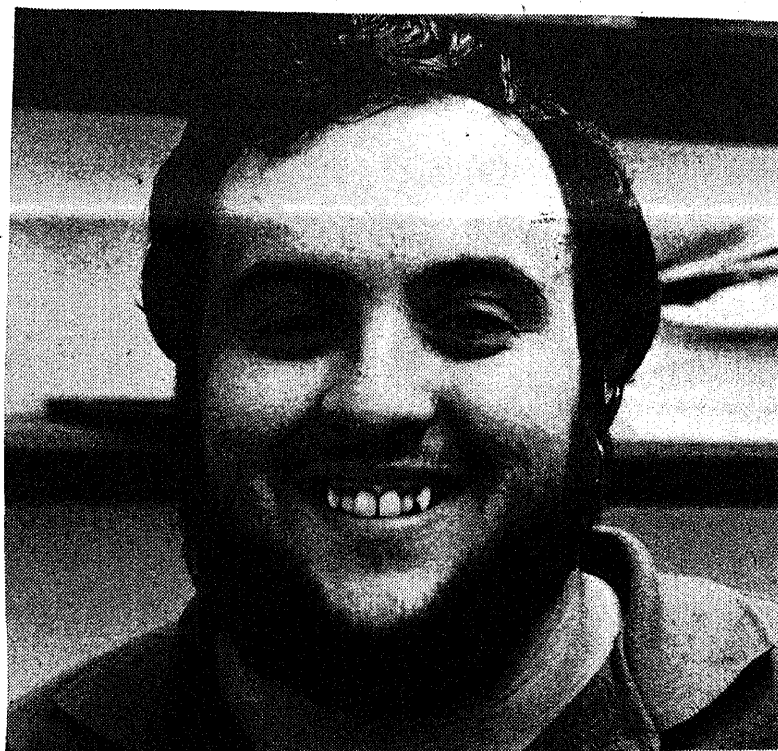


HELLO! My name is David Carreiro and I am running for the position of 1st. Vice President of the Student Government Association. It is very important that you take time to become part of the student government at B.S.C. Your participation can happen by voting in the upcoming S.G.A. elections on April 26th and 27th, and May 3rd and 4th.

The principal responsibility of the 1st. Vice President is to run the S.G.A. Senate meetings, which occur on Tuesday's at 6:00 in the Senate Chambers. It is very important for the 1st. Vice President to be able to lead the Senate. He/She should be able to keep the meetings in order and ensure that the Senate members have a complete understanding of the important issues that are discussed in this forum. Debate can become quite involved and intense, thus the 1st. Vice President must be able to keep his/her emotions and those of the collective Senate in a stable condition.

Yet another responsibility of the 1st. Vice President is to perform as the President of the S.G.A. in the event of the President's absence. It is of critical importance that the 1st. Vice President to be able to represent the S.G.A. without causing embarrassment.

I firmly believe that I have



the necessary leadership skills that this office demands. I enjoy serving in the student government and I am looking forward to serving the Bridgewater State College student population. Please feel free to contact me regarding any issue that you feel is a concern that effects us as students.

The following is a listing of the past political offices that I have held:

.....Senator Class of 1984...one year.

.....Elections Director of the S.G.A....one year.

.....Chairman Southeast A Student Advisory Councils...1977-1978.

.....Student Representative to the New Bedford School Committee...1977-1978.

.....Amherst Town Meeting...1980-1984. I was elected to this position while attending the University of Massachusetts-Amherst. I was a dorm student there from 9/1978 to 12/1980.

Thank you for your consideration. **VOTE DAVID CARREIRO.....1ST. VICE PRESIDENT S.G.A. A LEADER TO BE PROUD OF.**

1st Vice President

Dear Student Body,

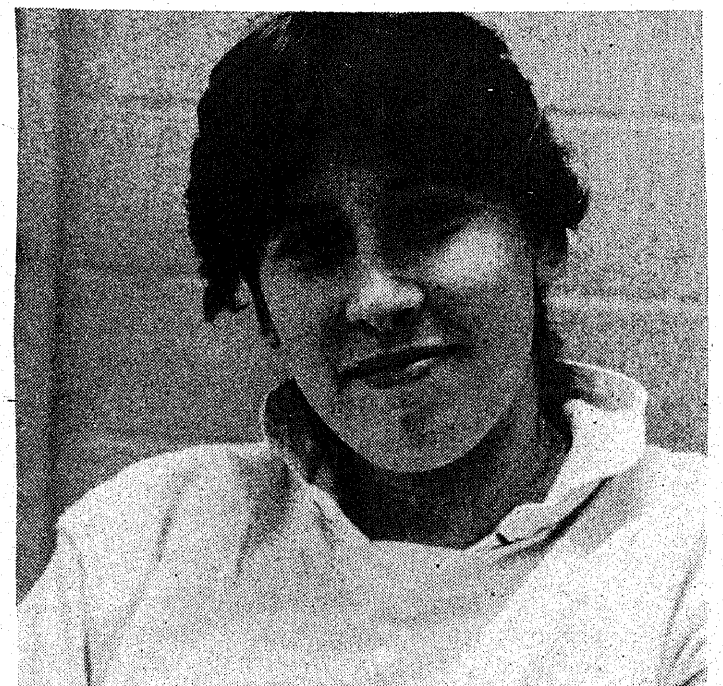
My name is Terry Miller and I am running for 1st Vice President of the Student Government Association.

I am not going to make any promises that I can't keep, except that I am going to work for the students. The main function of 1st Vice President is to run the Senate meetings effectively and to provide thoughtful assistance to the president, and that is what I will try to do! I will remain open to the student's ideas because that is what I will be there for, *not* to implement my own ideas.

As far as my experience goes, I think I am qualified. I have been a senator of the class of 1986 for two years, Chairperson of Legislative Affairs, and a State College Coordinator alternate. During this time, I have tried to protect the rights of you, the students. If you would like to talk to me about anything, please drop by the S.G.A. office, third floor of the Student Union, or leave a note for me in my S.G.A. mailbox.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Terry Miller
Senator, Class of 1986



VOTE '84

2nd Vice President

My name is Beth O'Connell. I am running for the position of 2nd Vice President of the Student Government Association. The primary aim of this letter is to gain your concern for the Bridgewater State College Student Government Association. Many students do not fully understand the power of their vote. Each student must pay \$36.00 a year S.G.A. fee, this means S.G.A. controls a budget of \$155,000.00 per year. Therefore it is only proper that every student have the right to efficient representation.

I am willing to represent the students in our S.G.A. in the capacity of 2nd Vice President of the S.G.A. I am willing to take the responsibility of this position. I understand the commitment fully that the position calls for. Under the constitution the 2nd Vice President is responsible for the following:

.....Preside at the meeting of the Senate in the absence of or at the discretion of 1st Vice President.

.....Assist the 1st Vice President.

.....Coordinate the Student Social Calendar.

.....Be a member of the Senate ex-officer with full voting power.

2nd Vice President also member of the Student Union Program Committee.

Because of the many responsibilities of the 2nd Vice President I feel that the person who assumes this position should have much experience in the Student Government and related associations. I have this experience, including the following:

.....Senator of the Class of 1985...two years.

.....Chairperson of the Financial Aid Committee...two years.

.....Member of the Educational Affairs Committee...one year.

tee...one year.

.....Member of the Board of Governors...one year.

.....Class of 1985 Secretary...one year.

.....Member of the Academic Policies Committee...one year.

I feel that all of these experiences qualify me for the position of 2nd Vice President of the Student Government.

Thank you for your consideration,

Sincerely,
Beth M. O'Connell



Election '84

Class Senators

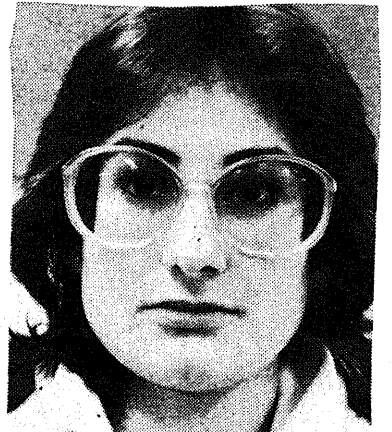
Hello,

My name is Kim Murphy and I am running as a write-in candidate for Senator of the Class of 1985. I realize that this is a rather difficult position to be in politically, but with your votes and support, I am sure that I will be assured a spot in the student senate. Although I have no lengthy

1985

political experience, I am well aware of the needs of students, especially those of commuters (as I am one myself). Also, as the News Editor of **The Comment** I have to deal responsibly with the news and the "power of the press". Since I am on the paper, I am well acquainted with the problems and events that affect students; yet I do not profess to be an expert in everything. That would be pious and arrogant.

I try to do my best in every-



thing I do, and I know that as Senator for the Class of 1985, I shall give it my very best. I hope that you will grant me the opportunity to serve you as a class. Also, as a write-in, I hope that you will take the time to write in my name, instead of Mickey Mouse or Rocket J. Squirrel.

Thank-you again for your time.

Sincerely,
Kimberly J. Murphy
Senator, Class of 1985

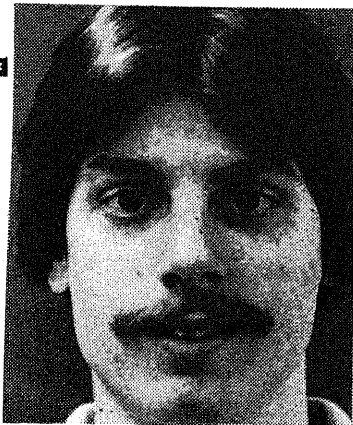
Hi,

My name is Greg Gelineau and I am a candidate for re-election as a Senator of the Class of 1985. Since I took office at the beginning of last

March, I believe I've learned a lot about Student Government policy and procedure. At my first SGA meeting I was appointed to the Ways and Means Committee, and have been working diligently on next years budgets for campus clubs and organizations. I have also been present at all meetings and actively involved with different SGA projects.

With your continued support I will be able to keep working for you, the Class of 1985 and the rest of the student body here at Bridgewater State College.

Sincerely
Gregory P. Gelineau
Senator Class of 1985



Greg Gelineau

I am running for Senator of the Class of 1986. I feel I will do the best job in representing the members of the class of 1986. In the last year I have observed the Student Government Association and have gained knowledge that will make me an effective leader. My major is Political Science, and I am the current

1986

President of the Political Science Club. Next year I would like to be part of a Student Government that works together and not against each other. I would like to promote student activities that would bring BSC students closer together. I will always be open for input from my fellow students and will work hard for their interests. I would appreciate the support of my classmates from the Class of 1986.

Thank-you
Bill Chaney
Candidate for the Senator of the Class of 1986

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Hi. My name is Ed Nicoletti and I am running for the position of Senator, Class of 1987. I feel I am qualified for this position due to my past experience concerning leadership. Last year, while a senior in high school, I was editor-in-chief of our school

changes are made. Together we can make the 1984-85 academic year a success for all of us.

Thank you for your time and consideration.

Ed Nicoletti

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1987

newspaper and president of our outing club. I was involved in many community activities, including teaching second grade C.C.D. class and volunteering at a Cancer home in Tiverton, R.I.

I have attended many of the S.G.A. meetings and agree with those who believe that changes must be made. Along with your help I will try to the best of my abilities to represent you in seeing that

Dear Fellow Students:

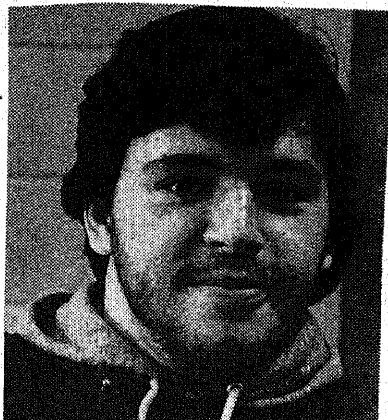
I am running for re-election as Senator, Class of 1987. I would immediately like to start out by thanking everyone who elected me last fall. I hope that you are able to support me once again. I feel that I have justified your confidence in me, by fulfilling all of the duties, and more that were required.

I enjoy participating on the Senate, because it deals in part with the school's curriculum, and I want to aid in protecting the student's rights.

I once again thank-you, and hope that you will remember to vote during the

elections May 3rd and 4th. Sincerely,

Daniel Darcy
Senator class of 1987

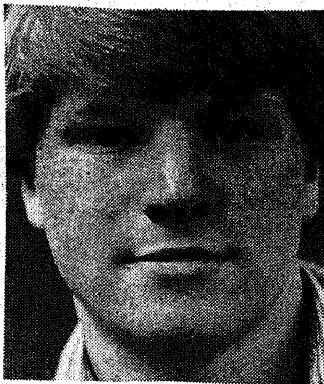


Dan Darcy

Hello, my name is Chris Cline and I am a candidate for Senator of the class of 1987. I have never actually held office, but since February I have attended SGA meetings sitting in the gallery and have learned how the meetings are conducted and how the role of a Senator is carried out.

I feel that the experience I learned in last months competitive election will help me out win one of the four available seats.

If elected I will listen to issues and then work for how it is best for the students. All



Chris Cline

students, both commuters and on campus residents. But to get elected people have to vote so when the primaries and then the final elections take place, get out there and vote for the best person you think can do the job.

Thank-you,
Christopher Cline
Candidate for Senator of the Class of 1987

All photos in this issue
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Deb Santheson
Kim Murphy
Peg Borges

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Senator-At-Large

Hi, my name is Peg Borges and I am running for a Senator at Large seat on the SGA. I chose to run for Senator at Large because I feel that I can best represent the student body as a whole. I do not want to be limited to my class because I want to be able to work for all students. I not only have the experience needed for this position but also the drive, enthusiasm and openmindedness needed to work continuously to solve problems and get things done.

I have been present at every meeting of the SGA this semester, proteming at all

but three. This means that I have been an active member of the student government, not only a voting member but also a working member. Anyone who has ever been in the SGA office knows that I am always willing to help with any problems that you may have. If I am not up on the situation you request information on, I know who will know what to do. More than once I have helped other senators to understand important issues of the SGA.

This semester has been a busy one for me as I have been actively involved in many aspects of campus life.

I am the chairperson of the BSC Voter Registration Coalition, which you will be hearing a lot about in the upcoming weeks. I have a newscast every Wednesday at 7:00 from WBIM and I am an active member of **The Comment** staff. I feel that being involved as I am in many aspects of the college can only broaden my view of important issues which would keep me openminded and non-biased. I want to hear facts and I only listen to facts. I feel that this is the only way to run the SGA.

On top of being involved on campus I have also been both a Commuter and a Dorm resident, recently having moved into a Dorm this past February. I became a dorm student because I wanted to get involved and I think that I have done just that! I want to be elected as a Senator at Large because I know what is going on up there, I'm doing this because it is something I believe in firmly, and something I have worked hard for.

I hope that you will feel, as I do, that I am qualified for this position of Senator at Large. No matter what the outcome, I will continue to work hard for the students; I wish I could say the same for the rest of the candidates.

Sincerely
Peg Borges



Peg Borges

My name is Denis Lawrence and I am running for one of the Senator-at-Large seats on the SGA. As a member of a political family involved in politics since the age of nine, I will be a main force in the senate.

I am deeply concerned for both resident and commuter students who face daily problems of parking. Although the commuter lot is currently being expanded, there will still be a lack of space. I am becoming increasingly dissatisfied with the way this is being handled. It sickens me to see the campus police start at one end of a lot passing citations out along the way as if they were free handouts knowing full well that there is a space problem. This abusive action will not solve this problem. There is a way to control this activity, and when elected, I will continue to research, to find a way to curb this matter.

Another of my concerns is the dirt lot at the hill. That lot has been there since the building was erected, and it still has not been paved.

This oversight has caused much lost time in digging out cars, and much lost money in repairing destroyed exhaust systems. When elected I will approach along with the administration both the State and Federal Governments for funding, and work to get the lot paved.

Right now the major problem facing us is the proposed \$100 tuition increase. It has been brought to my attention that a majority of the present senators have shown little if

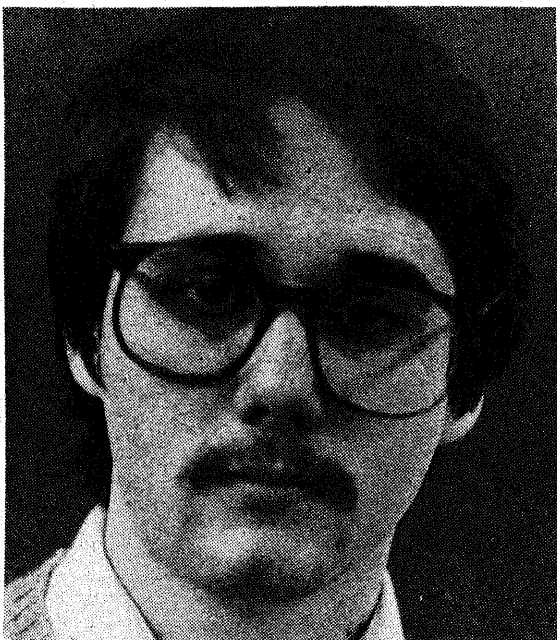
any concern at all. After speaking with members of the House of Representatives, I found that they have not been approached by many, who object. Although the issue is presently on hold, many of the legislators feel that it will pass, and are blaming it on the new Board of Regents. This tuition increase is ridiculous! Those who receive a help loan, at maximum receive \$2500. This covers but one semester. Without a grant or other aid, many students will be unable to attend another. Yet the fees are to be raised \$100.00!

I intend to voice the opinions of many dissatisfied students. It is not fair that we, the students, should suffer while

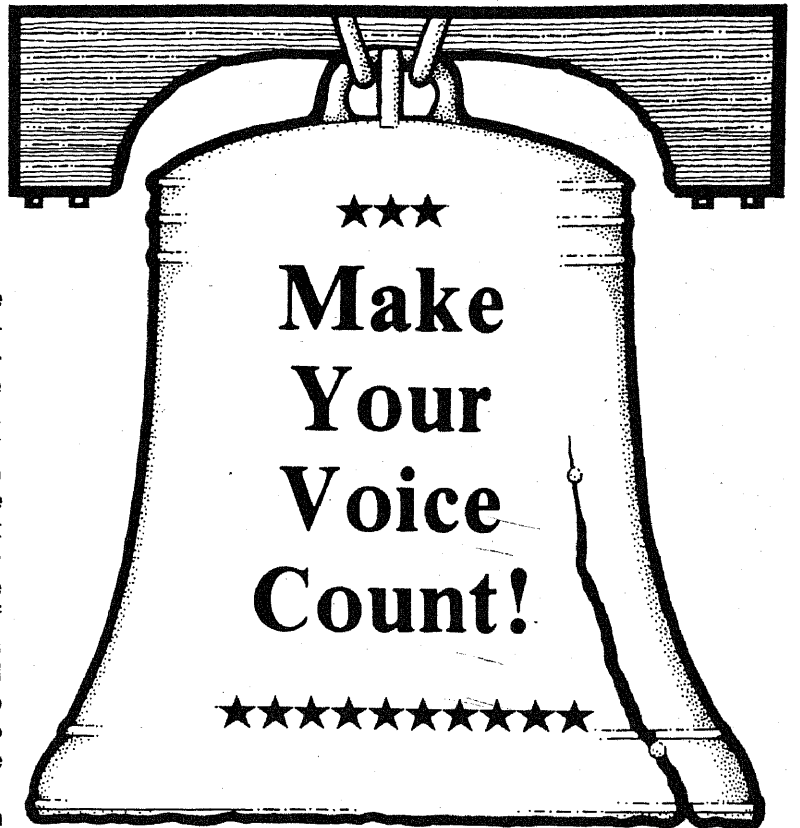
trying to acquire a quality education, which is, on a state level, already at an inflated price.

I am running not for myself but for you, the students of BSC. Your concerns will be my concerns. When elected, I intend to hold monthly meetings for those concerned students, in order to inform you on issues concerning the administration, the school, state and the SGA.

I am tired of listening to false promises made simply to encourage us to elect politicians. I will be there to listen and to work for you, the students. Unlike the representation that I feel you are now receiving, I am a voice that will speak for you, not against you.



Denis Lawrence



Hi, my name is Ralph Plotke. I am running for re-election as Senator-at-Large. I am majoring in Management Science with a Computer Science minor.

Since taking office this spring I have been appointed to the Financial Aid Committee and to the Board of Gov-

ernor's application selection committee. I have become aware of the inner workings of our student governing system and feel I am no longer a "Green Horn" in the SGA. I am very grateful for the support I received in March and hope to regain it in May.

Sincerely yours,
Ralph Plotke



Ralph Plotke

Dear Students,

Hello, my name is Glenn W. Orrell and I'm running for Senator-at-Large. I don't know about you, but I'm looking for a new and fresh start for the SGA come September. The only way to do this is through team effort. This means leaving personal conflicts and problems out of the forum. I realize what I'm saying is not always easy, but it is possible. As the saying goes, "Where there's

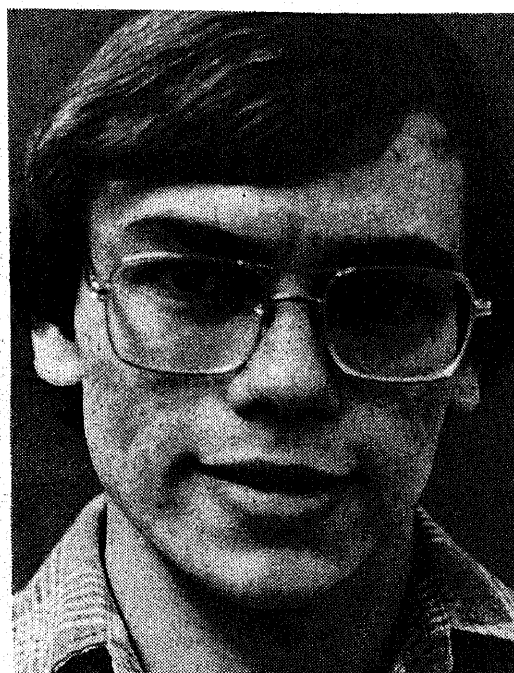
is a will, there's a way".

I hope the up and coming year will be a productive one. If you elect me to office, I will do my best to represent you. This past year I've been the State Student Association of Massachusetts Alternate representative, better known as S.S.A.M. I've also been one of Paul Dobson's personal advisors, who allowed me to be a member of the Executive Board of the SGA.

As for the issues at hand, I'm looking forward to seeing the tennis court project being completed. I'm also glad to see that the Bus Shuttle running on Campus is a success. As for the tuition hike, I'm totally against it, and S.S.A.M. is doing its best to fight it. I'm also against seeing any students being cut from the All-College Committee.

There are a couple of things I'll be working on whether or not I'm elected. The first being to get the Maxwell library open longer hours and secondly, getting the computer lab open twenty-three hours a day. I can only accomplish this with your support. I hope you'll take the time to vote for me on the 3rd and 4th of May.

Respectfully yours,
Glenn W. Orrell
S.S.A.M. Alt.



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